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In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted" mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 7, 2000, the following documents are enclosed to complete the filing of the above-identified patent application:

1.      A declaration signed by the inventors in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63; and
2.      Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted.

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It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed documents complete the filing of the above patent application and justify the filing date of June 30, 2000. Please telephone the undersigned at (512) 794-3600, if there are any questions. This form is being submitted in duplicate.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
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